

**THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
DALLAS DIVISION**

FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION,
Plaintiff,

vs.

MATCH GROUP, INC., a corporation, and
MATCH GROUP, LLC, formerly known as
MATCH.COM, LLC, a limited liability
company,

Defendants.

Case No. 3:19-cv-02281-K

**DEFENDANTS MATCH GROUP, INC. AND MATCH GROUP, LLC'S UNOPPOSED
MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE BRIEF IN EXCESS OF PAGE LIMITATIONS**

Defendants Match Group, Inc. (“MGI”) and Match Group, LLC (“MGL”) file this Unopposed Motion for Leave to File Brief in Excess of Page Limitations (the “Motion”). In support of this Motion, Defendants respectfully state as follows:

1. Pursuant to the Amended Scheduling Order, Dkt. 178, the deadline to file any motions for summary judgment is today, September 11, 2023. Local Civil Rule 56.5(b) permits a 50-page principal brief in support of a motion for summary judgment.

2. Defendants are filing their motion for summary judgment, along with an accompanying principal brief and appendix, today. Defendants respectfully request that the Court grant them leave to submit their principal brief with nine additional pages such that the principal brief will be 59 pages in length.

3. There are numerous reasons for a nine-page extension. The FTC’s Amended Complaint (Dkt. 116) asserts three counts against the two Defendants (Match Group, Inc. and Match Group, LLC). There are multiple, independent grounds on which to grant summary judgment in Defendants’ favor on each of the FTC’s remaining three counts. Defendants

respectfully submit that the Court and parties would benefit from a nine-page extension by allowing for an efficient and concise but thorough presentation of the arguments and citation to evidence in the appendix.

4. The Court previously acknowledged that there were grounds for an extension of the FTC's principal brief in support of its motion for summary judgment. Dkt. 196.

5. For these reasons, Defendants respectfully submit that the circumstances justify a nine-page extension to the 50-page limit for their principal brief in support of their motion for summary judgment.

6. The FTC does not oppose the relief requested in this Motion.

7. Defendants are not seeking an extension of their filing deadline. Defendants will file their brief today, September 11, 2023.

WHEREFORE, Defendants respectfully request that the Court extend the page limit for the principal brief in support of Defendants' forthcoming motion for summary judgment by nine pages such that Defendants are permitted to file a 59-page brief.

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Dated: September 11, 2023

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CERTIFICATE OF CONFERENCE

On September 7 and 8, 2023, counsel for Defendants, Angela Zambrano and Chad Hummel, conferred via email with counsel for the FTC, John O’Gorman, regarding whether the FTC opposes the relief requested in this Motion. The FTC confirmed that it does not oppose the relief requested in this Motion.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that a true and correct copy of the above and forgoing document was served on all counsel of record via e-mail as outlined below on September 11, 2023.

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